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IN VIEW OF THE DECLARATIONS MADE AT ADL OCTOBER 29 WHICH DEMONSTRATE ABSOLUTE IGNORANCE OF THE REALITY OF THE ARGENTINE JEWISH COMMUNITY, WE EXPRESS OUR TOTAL DISAGREEMENT AND DEMAND THAT YOU ABSTAIN FROM SIMILAR ATTITUDES WHICH DISTORT REALITY. STOP. THE VISIT OF PRESIDENT SPITZER CLEARLY SHOWS JEWISH COMMUNITY LIFE FREE AND FULL. THEREFORE WE REJECT COMPARISONS WITH OTHER COMMUNITIES. STOP.

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